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For: EQUIPMENT MANAGEMENT APPARATUS, EQUIPMENT	
MANAGEMENT SYSTEM, AND EQUIPMENT MANAGEMENT METHOD	

RESPONSE TO FINAL REJECTION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated April 30, 2008, the period for response to which having been extended by two months to September 30, 2008, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the application in view of the following remarks.